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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

KARS-MICHIEL H. LENSSEN ET AL.

PHN 16,435

SERIAL NO.:

GROUP ART UNIT:

FILED: CONCURRENTLY

EXAMINER:

INPUT DEVICE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to calculating the filing fee and examination,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 4, before line 1, insert as a centered heading

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--;

after the heading, insert at the left margin

--Field Of The Invention--;

line 3, delete "a measuring step";

line 5, delete "a control step";

between lines 12 and 13, insert at the left margin

--Description Of The Related Art--;

line 18, change "after an analogue to digital conversion"

to -, after analog-to-digital conversion,--;

line 20, change "respectively" to --, respectively,--;